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Mr. Jim Barnes
Wembco, Inc.
20231 Orchard Street
Newport Beach, California 92660

Subject: Reclamation Requirement, Wembco, D Tract Oil Sand Mine, S/047/068, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Barnes:

The Division issued a Division Directive on August 13, 2003, concerning the need to file a Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations and a reclamation surety for the referenced site. Most of the requirements of this directive have been satisfied, including posting a reclamation surety. There is a 0.76-acre area of the mine that was to be reclaimed, but for various reasons, this work has not been done.

It is once again the time of year when reclamation work should be performed, and this area needs to be reclaimed. The amount of work that needs to be done is not extensive. Failure to complete the work by December 1, 2005, will result in enforcement action.

The specific area in question has been identified to you previously, but for your reference, a map is enclosed that shows this area. It is identified on the map as "reclaimable area."

If you have questions about this requirement, please contact Paul Baker at 801-538-5261. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Susan M. White
Mining Program Coordinator
Minerals Regulatory Program

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Enclosure: Map titled "Wembco Mine S/047/068"

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